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 For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONFIGURING SYSTEMS



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- Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate Double Patenting Rejection Over a Prior Patent.

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- A check in the amount of \$950.00 is attached for processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- A check in the amount of \$866.00 is attached for presentation of additional claim(s).
- A check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached for Terminal Disclaimer fee under 37 CFR 1.20(d).

Respectfully submitted,

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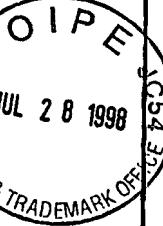
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